

Minister Henderson's visit to Paris for the purpose of making arrangements to send British representatives to Stockholm. Minister Henderson represented the organized labor movement in the country. He went to Paris without consulting the Government. When criticized in the House of Commons the Government pleaded for moderation, warning that any further imprudence might result if Henderson should be repudiated and forced to resign.

It now develops that the Government was unnecessarily concerned about the attitude of labor and the indications are that the unions themselves will take steps to repudiate Henderson and insist on the most vigorous prosecution of the war, with the only direct negotiations with the Central Empire on their initiative.

Premier Lloyd George's speech at the initial meeting of the National War Council yesterday has created a